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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This is in response to the final Office Action dated September 30, 2005, for which a response is due on December 30, 2005. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims are respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.